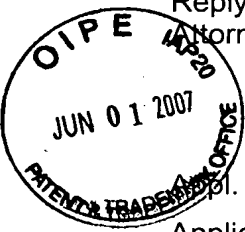


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Applicants : Hiromichi KOBAYASHI et al.  
Filed : February 6, 2004  
Title : Carrier Core Material, Coated Carrier, Two-Component  
Developing Agent for Electrophotography, and Image  
Forming Method  
Art Unit : 1752  
Examiner : Hoa Van Le  
Customer No. : 28289

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 29, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A Petition for a one-month Extension of Time, along with a Terminal Disclaimer are filed concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

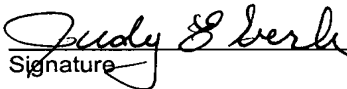
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.

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